BARRICK RESOURCES (USA), INC.

February 14, 1992

Mr. Lowell P. Braxton Associate Director, Mining State of Utah Department of Natural Resources Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining 355 West North Temple 3 Triad Center, Suite 350 Salt Lake City, UT 84180-1203

Dear Mr. Braxton:

Subject: Operation Plan R647-004-106.2 Acid Base Potential -Sunrise Dump

In review of the data previously gathered on the acid-base potential of Sacramento Pit material hauled to the Sunrise Dump, it was realized that insufficient data exists. To resolve this, an expanded set of samples was submitted for laboratory analysis on February 6, 1992, with results expected on or about February 28, 1992.

The submittal date of February 28, 1992, that was given in a February 6, 1992, letter to the division will not be achievable. Barrick will complete the acid-base analysis as the new data results are received, and submit the report prior to March 31, 1992.

Again, I apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully,

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